

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

BROOKE CARDOZA, CODY C.  
HANCOCK, etc.,

Plaintiff(s),

vs.

BLOOMIN' BRANDS, INC.; OSI  
RESTAURANT PARTNERS, LLC, etc.,

Defendant(s).

Case #2:13-cv-01820-JAD-NJK

**VERIFIED PETITION FOR  
PERMISSION TO PRACTICE  
IN THIS CASE ONLY BY  
ATTORNEY NOT ADMITTED  
TO THE BAR OF THIS COURT  
AND DESIGNATION OF  
LOCAL COUNSEL**

FILING FEE IS \$250.00

Amanda C. Machin, Petitioner, respectfully represents to the Court:  
(name of petitioner)

1. That Petitioner is an attorney at law and a member of the law firm of

GIBSON, DUNN & CRUTCHER LLP

(firm name)

with offices at 1050 Connecticut Avenue, NW, Suite 300  
(street address)

Washington

(city)

District of Columbia

(state)

20036

(zip code)

202-887-3705

(area code + telephone number)

amachin@gibsondunn.com

(Email address)

2. That Petitioner has been retained personally or as a member of the law firm by

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[client(s)]

to provide legal representation in connection with

the above-entitled case now pending before this Court.

3. That since August 6, 2012, Petitioner has been and presently is a  
 (date)  
 member in good standing of the bar of the highest Court of the State of District of Columbia  
 (state)  
 where Petitioner regularly practices law. Petitioner shall attach a certificate from the state bar or  
 from the clerk of the supreme court or highest admitting court of each state, territory, or insular  
 possession of the United States in which the applicant has been admitted to practice law certifying  
 the applicant's membership therein is in good standing.

4. That Petitioner was admitted to practice before the following United States District  
 Courts, United States Circuit Courts of Appeal, the Supreme Court of the United States and Courts  
 of other States on the dates indicated for each, and that Petitioner is presently a member in good  
 standing of the bars of said Courts.

Court	Date Admitted	Bar Number
Court of Appeals, D.C.	August 6, 2012	1008932
Supreme Court of Virginia	October 31, 2011	82364

5. That there are or have been no disciplinary proceedings instituted against petitioner,  
 nor any suspension of any license, certificate or privilege to appear before any judicial, regulatory  
 or administrative body, or any resignation or termination in order to avoid disciplinary or  
 disbarment proceedings, except as described in detail below:

(State "none" if Petitioner has no disciplinary proceedings, etc.)

None

6. That Petitioner has never been denied admission to the State Bar of Nevada. (Give particulars if ever denied admission):

(State "none" if Petitioner has never been denied admission.)  
None

7. That Petitioner is a member of good standing in the following Bar Associations.

(State "none" if Petitioner is not a member of other Bar Associations.)  
D.C. Bar  
Virginia Bar

8. Petitioner has filed application(s) to appear as counsel under Local Rule IA 10-2 during the past three (3) years in the following matters: (State "none" if no applications.)

Date of Application	Cause	Title of Court Administrative Body or Arbitrator	Was Application Granted or Denied
None			

(If necessary, please attach a statement of additional applications)

9. Petitioner consents to the jurisdiction of the courts and disciplinary boards of the State of Nevada with respect to the law of this state governing the conduct of attorneys to the same extent as a member of the State Bar of Nevada.

10. Petitioner agrees to comply with the standards of professional conduct required of the members of the bar of this court.

11. Petitioner has disclosed in writing to the client that the applicant is not admitted to practice in this jurisdiction and that the client has consented to such representation.

That Petitioner respectfully prays that Petitioner be admitted to practice before this Court  
FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS CASE ONLY.

Amanda C. Machin

Petitioner's signature

STATE OF Virginia }  
COUNTY OF Arlington }

Amanda C. Machin, Petitioner, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That the foregoing statements are true.

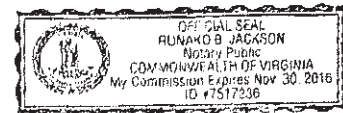
Amanda C. Machin

Petitioner's signature

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

16 day of November, 2015

Lanaha B. Jackson  
Notary Public or Clerk of Court



**DESIGNATION OF RESIDENT ATTORNEY ADMITTED TO  
THE BAR OF THIS COURT AND CONSENT THERETO.**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Local Rules of Practice for this Court, the Petitioner believes it to be in the best interests of the client(s) to designate John H. Cotton,  
(name of local counsel)  
Attorney at Law, member of the State of Nevada and previously admitted to practice before the above-entitled Court as associate resident counsel in this action. The address and email address of said designated Nevada counsel is:

John H. Cotton & Associates, Ltd., 7900 West Sahara Avenue, Suite 200  
(street address)

Las Vegas  
(city)

Nevada  
(state)

89117  
(zip code)

702-832-5909, jhcotton@jhcottonlaw.com  
(area code + telephone number) (Email address)

By this designation the petitioner and undersigned party(ies) agree that this designation constitutes agreement and authorization for the designated resident admitted counsel to sign stipulations binding on all of us.

**APPOINTMENT OF DESIGNATED RESIDENT NEVADA COUNSEL**

The undersigned party(ies) appoint(s) John H. Cotton as  
(name of local counsel)  
his/her/their Designated Resident Nevada Counsel in this case.

(party's signature)

Joseph Kadow, Executive VP & Chief Legal Officer  
(type or print party name, title)

(party's signature)

(type or print party name, title)

**CONSENT OF DESIGNEE**

The undersigned hereby consents to serve as associate resident Nevada counsel in this case.

J H. Cotton  
Designated Resident Nevada Counsel's signature

5268 jhcotton@jhcortonlaw.com  
Bar number Email address

APPROVED:

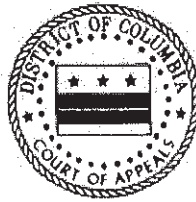
Dated: November 18, 2015.

[Signature]  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

**Attachment A**

**Verified Petition for Permission to Practice in this Case Only By Attorney Not Admitted to the  
Bar of this Court and Designation of Local Counsel**

2. That Petitioner has been retained personally or as a member of the law firm by  
BLOOMIN' BRANDS, INC.; OSI RESTAURANT PARTNERS, LLC; OUTBACK STEAKHOUSE  
OF FLORIDA, LLC; and OS RESTAURANT SERVICES, LLC to provide legal representation in  
connection with the above-entitled case now pending before this Court.



District of Columbia Court of Appeals  
Committee on Admissions  
430 F Street, N.W. — Room 123  
Washington, D. C. 20001  
202 / 879-2710

*I, JULIO A. CASTILLO, Clerk of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, do hereby certify that*

**AMANDA CATHERINE MACHIN**

*was on **AUGUST 6, 2012** duly qualified and admitted as an attorney and counselor entitled to practice before this Court and is, on the date indicated below, an active member in good standing of this Bar.*

*In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of this Court at the City of Washington, D.C., on NOVEMBER 12, 2015.*

JULIO A. CASTILLO  
Clerk of the Court

By:

*Monette Lane*  
Deputy Clerk

# VIRGINIA STATE BAR

## *CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING*

*THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT AMANDA CATHERINE MACHIN IS AN ACTIVE MEMBER OF THE VIRGINIA STATE BAR IN GOOD STANDING. MS. MACHIN WAS LICENSED TO PRACTICE LAW IN VIRGINIA ON OCTOBER 14, 2011, AFTER SUCCESSFULLY PASSING THE BAR EXAMINATION GIVEN BY THE VIRGINIA BOARD OF BAR EXAMINERS.*

*Issued November 17, 2015*



KAREN A. GOULD  
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND  
CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER